

**Educational History:**

M.A., Columbia University, 2009 May (2920 Broadway, New York City, New York, 10027)

Major / Japanese Pedagogy

Field of Study / Sociolinguistic competence in Second Language Acquisition, Pragmatic competence in oral proficiency

Thesis title: *Teaching effectiveness of Onomatopoeias on Japanese Language Acquisition*

B.A., Keio University, Tokyo Japan, 1980 March (2-15-45 Mita, Minatoku, Tokyo, Japan)

Major / Japanese Literature

Thesis title: *Japanese aesthetic toward nature found in Akabe no Yamahito in Manyoshuu*

**Certificate:**

Designing an Effective Online Environment level, I and II. 2021 June. Center for Teaching and Learning Summer Course Design Institute at UNM:

ACTFL OPI (Oral Proficiency Interview) Refreshing Training , 2018 August

ACTFL OPI (Oral Proficiency Interview) Certified Tester, 2013 April

**Employment History:**

Japanese Senior Lecturer: 2013-present, FLL University of New Mexico, Albuquerque NM

Japanese Lecturer (full time): 2012-2013, FLL University of New Mexico, Albuquerque NM

Japanese Lecturer (part time): 1999-2011, FLL University of New Mexico, Albuquerque NM

Japanese Instructor: 1986-present, UNM Continuing Education, Albuquerque NM

Japanese Instructor: 1988-1990, Sandia Lab. "Out of Hours" program, Albuquerque NM

Japanese Teacher: 1983-85, Aoyama Language School, Tokyo Japan

**Teaching Achievements:**

**University of New Mexico**

1999 ~ 2014	Fall	Japanese 101 and 301
2000 ~ 2015	Spring	Japanese 102 and 302
2003, 2005~2010, 2014~2015	Spring	Japanese 202
2005~2009, 2014	Fall	Japanese 201
2005~2012 Fall / 2009~2013	Spring	Japanese 411
2012~2013 Fall / 2013~2014	Spring	Modern Languages / JP conversation
2014~present		Japanese 111 - 112 - First Year Japanese
2019~present		Japanese 1130-1135- First Year Intensive Japanese /6hrs.credits
2017, 2019, 2021		Japanese 201 Second year Japanese I

2014~ present	Japanese 202 Second Year Japanese II
2014~ present	Japanese 301 and 302 Third Year Japanese
2014~ present	Japanese 401 Advanced Japanese 1 / Advanced reading and discussion / JLPT level 3 Preparation
2014~ present	Japanese 402- Advanced Japanese 2 / Advanced reading and discussion/ JLPT level 2 Preparation
2011~ present	Japanese 497 Independent Study

University of New Mexico Continuing Education

1986 ~ present Basic Japanese, Intermediate Japanese

Sandia Laboratories

"Out of Hours" program, Japanese basic, intermediate, advanced and Technical Japanese  
1988~1990

**Curriculum development or Teaching Administrative Positions:**

1999 - 2012	Fall	Japanese 101 and 301
2000 - 2011	Spring	Japanese 102 and 302
2003, 2005-2010	Spring	Japanese 202
2005-2009	Fall	Japanese 201
2005-2012 Fall / 2009~2012 Spring		Japanese 411
2011- Fall /2012 Spring		Japanese 101 and 102 Trial class for 5 hrs. Credit course
2012-Fall~2014 Spring		Modern Languages / Supplement Language Study 105-002
2014		Japanese 111 - 112 - First Year Japanese
2014		Japanese 401 Advanced Japanese 1 / Short story Reading / JLPT level 3 Preparation
2015		JAPN 402- Advanced Japanese 2 / Short story Reading/ JLPT level 2 Preparation
2016		Japanese 112 / New 6 hrs. Credit course , Japanese 401/ New material
2017		Japanese 402 / Course revision, Japanese 112,302, 402 / Incorporating Talk Abroad program
2019		Japanese 302, 401/ New material
2020 Spring, Fall		Japanese 1130,1135, 202, 301, 301, 401, 402 / Revised to online course.
2021 Spring, Fall		Japanese 1130,1135, 201, 202, 301, 301, 401, 402 / Revised to Hybrid online course

\*\*Supervising Japanese TAs and PTI on pedagogical aspect: 2010 fall- present

**Department Service:**

- Language Learning Center Advisory Council member. 2022 Spring
- Created GEN Ed assessments for Japanese lower division. 2020 Spring.

- Lecturer Evaluation Policy Committee. 2019 fall
- Supported the FLL table at the Discover Fair for UNM freshmen. 2019 Summer
- Subcommittee of Japanese Common Course Numbering by NMHED(New Mexico Higher Education Department) . Designating a course title, a course description, and aligned Student Learning Objectives (SLOs) to increase transparency and simplify articulation and transfer for New Mexico students. 2017 spring.
- East Asian lecturer hiring committee. 2015 fall
- Less Commonly Taught Language committee. 2006 fall

### **Students Service:**

- Advisor of Japanese Study Club, a Chartered UNM Student Organization, 2003~present
- Consultations to students who is studying abroad and applying JET (Japan Exchange and Teaching) program. 2003 ~ present
- Initiated Japanese Calligraphy workshop for students of Japanese at UNM, 2005-present
- Supported the history department with assessing their graduate students' Japanese language proficiency for their graduation requirement. 2020~present
- Coordinated US-Japan Relations Talk: Past, Present, and Future from the viewpoint of a Female diplomat, by Consul General of Japan in Denver, Midori Takeuchi, 2019 spring
- Coordinated Kamishibai performance from Japan for UNM students and the public. Invited Mr. Eiichi Obama whose performance was recognized as "Cultural asset of Children culture in Japan" 2017 spring
- Japanese extensive reading group sessions outside the class at UNM, 2004 fall

### **Community Services:**

- Supported local Japanese event " Aki Matsuri" (fall Festival), administrating Japanese Calligraphy Booth. 2007~present
- Affiliated with the NMJACL(NM Japanese American Citizenship League) since 2018. Encouraging students to participate volunteer activities that benefit both NMJACL and UNM students and providing NMJLCL scholarship opportunities to UNM students"

- Presented Japanese version of Don Quixote at Cervantes and Don Quixote Exhibition in Albuquerque, 2017 March
- Suitcase of Japan" program by Japanese Ministry of Education, visited 10 local elementary schools to demonstrate Japanese culture, 2003

**Nomination and others:**

- Received “Outstanding Teacher Award” at The Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi /UNM Chapter, 2020.
- Nominated “Outstanding Lecturer” at UNM, 2016
- Nominated “Outstanding Adjunct Faculty” at UNM, 2009
- Member of ATJ (Association of Teachers of Japanese)
- Member of ACTFL (American Council Teaching Foreign Language)